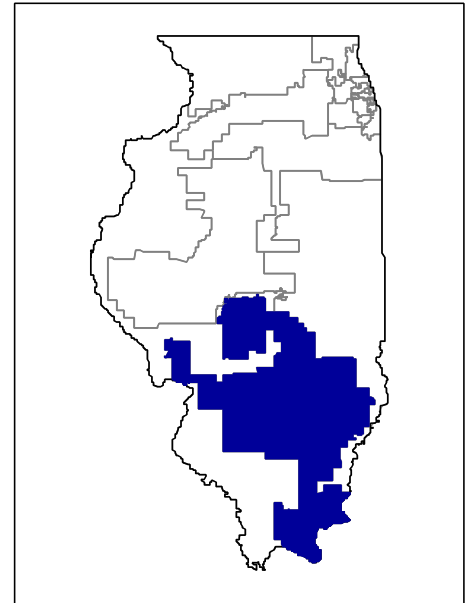




# 2002 Census of Agriculture Congressional District Profile

## District 19, Illinois



**Number of farms:** 18,783

**Land in farms:** 6,227,406 acres

**Average size of farm:** 332 acres

**Irrigated Land:** 50,018 acres

**Total Number of Farm Operators:** 25,867

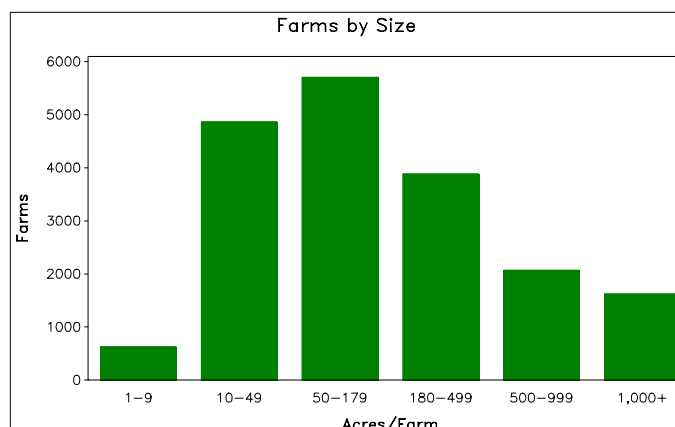
**Market Value of Production:** \$1,374,345,000

**Market Value of Production, average per farm:** \$73,170

**Government Payments:** \$88,404,000

**Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments:** \$6,917

**Gross Income from Farm Related Sources:** \$39,109,000



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**Ranked items among the 19 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002**

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	1,374,345	2	13	32	418
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) <sup>2</sup></b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	916,521	2	13	10	371
Tobacco	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	106
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	6,026	7	13	178	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	2,707	3	12	165	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	19,040	5	13	197	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	1,058	2	12	58	349
Poultry and eggs	29,275	2	11	113	382
Cattle and calves	91,392	3	13	78	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	84,865	1	10	63	339
Hogs and pigs	207,321	1	12	17	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	544	3	13	129	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	2,628	1	13	99	398
Aquaculture	286	4	9	203	321
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Layers 20 weeks old and older	1,161,103	2	11	75	387
Hogs and pigs	978,193	1	11	17	371
Turkeys	610,644	1	11	38	356
Cattle and calves	328,580	1	13	74	394
Quail	31,935	1	11	31	313
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans	2,485,899	1	13	7	269
Corn for grain	1,984,342	2	13	9	327
All Wheat for grain	285,908	1	13	21	323
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	210,883	1	13	88	391
Sorghum for grain	37,465	1	9	28	243

**Other Congressional District Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	5,748	Farming	10,916
\$1,000 to \$2,499	1,330	Other	7,867
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1,252		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,469	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,488	Male	17,391
\$20,000 to \$24,999	477	Female	1,392
\$25,000 to \$39,999	1,086		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	648	Average age of principal operator (years)	54.9
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1,745		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2,161	All operators <sup>3</sup> by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	922	White	25,322
\$500,000 or more	457	Black or African American	16
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	608,430	American Indian or Alaska Native	15
Average per farm (\$)	172,653	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
		Asian	6
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	320,252	More than one race	34
Average per farm (\$)	17,121	All operators <sup>3</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	145

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

<sup>3</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.